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Inventor:	Viken, James P.)	Attorney Docket: 23,318-40
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Filing Date:	December 18, 2001)	Examiner:
Title:	Complete Fluid Exchange System For Automatic Transmissions)	

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4. Declaration, Power of Attorney, and Petition (3 pages);
5. Statement in Support of Petition to Make Special Because of Actual Infringement
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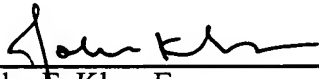
Applicant claims small entity status.

Applicant hereby petitions to make this application special because of actual
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Respectfully submitted,
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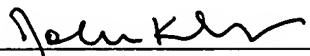
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**STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL
BECAUSE OF ACTUAL INFRINGEMENT (M.P.E.P. § 708.02)**

I, John F. Klos, of Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P., 225 South Sixth Street, Suite 4850,
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-4320, Registration No. 37,162, telephone No. (612) 321-2806, am the
practitioner in this case and make the following statements:

1. There are infringing devices or products actually on the market. MotorVac Technologies, Inc., 1431 S. Village Way, Santa Ana, California, has previously made, used, and/or sold and continues to make, use, or sell its TRANSTECH Transmission Service System (the "TRANSTECH device").
2. I have made a rigid comparison of the MotorVac TRANSTECH device with the claims of this application.
3. That, in my opinion, some of the claims on file in this application are unquestionably infringed by the TRANSTECH device.
4. I have made a search of and have a good knowledge of the pertinent prior art. All such material art was provided to the Examiner in a respective Information Disclosure Statement, mailed April 19, 2001, in Application No. 08/772,836.

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